# NEBRASKA'S CITY ELECTIONS

The Voting at Lincoln Results in Sawyer Being Chosen Mayor.

HIS PLURALITY NEARLY 600.

Lively Times at the Polls-Roggen on His Muscle-Results in Detail From Many Other State Points.

## The Result in Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 5.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—The voting to-day resulted in the election of Sawyer, the democrat and citizens' nominee for mayor, over Roggen, republican, and Cropsey, prohibitionist. His plurality will be in the vicinity of 600. The counting is being carried on slowly, but one ward having finished. The vote for the heads of the tickets was counted at 10:20. Roggen received in his own ward a plurality of twenty-four votes. In some of the wards more than 300 scratched tickets were polled and the counting of these will extend into the morning. The prohibitionists lost courage during the fight and joined with the citizens in electing Sawyer, although at nearly all the polls ladies stood and worked for the ticket. A number of ladies also voted for members of the school board, depositing their ballots while the bystanders respectfully made way for them. Manly, the republican candidate for city cleck, and Jones, re-publican, for city treasurer, are elected, though the democrats secure five out of the eight aldermen, one being from the Sixth. Buckstaff, and Warner in the Fifth, Burks in the Third and Dailey in the First ward. Midnight-The reports of to-day's election

clusion already telegraphed. The election was the liveriest in the history of the city. The republican bolt, the citizens' movement, and the semi-successful attempt movement, and the semi-successful attempt to deliver the prohibition vote to Sawyer, the high-license democratic candidate, all contributed to the liveliness that pervaded every polling place. The boiters, headed by Lambertson, were actively at work, and Si Alexander, chairman of the republican city committee, issued and distributed circulars that read a lesson of consistency to Lambert-son, the Journal company and others

are still badly mixed but do not alter the con-

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About 2 o'clock in the day,
when Mr. Roggen, the republican candidate, was at the Fourth ward polls,
O. W. Webster, one of the loudest mouthed
opponents of Mr. R., became involved in an
altercation with the candidate. Webster is one
of the crowd who sterned the disease and of the crowd with the candidate. Webster is one of the crowd who signed the circulars against Roggen, and the altercation led to angry words, when Roggen knocked Webster down. As the latter fought principally with his mouth he didn't stand up before the muscular candidate again, but went off hunting an officer to arrest him. an officer to arrest him. After hearing of the altereation a Bee man called a promi-nent prohibitionist to one side to get an un-prejudiced opinion and the prohibitionist averred that Mr. Roggen did exactly right.

SUTTON, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE.]-The most closely contested city election ever held in this city has just closed with a victory for the women against the saloons. The temperance party elected six councilmen out of eight, but lost the mayor by two votes. Henry Grosshans, a prominent German, was elected mayor over P. T. Walton. The fight has been red-hot here for several weeks, both parties using every available means to secure a majority of votes. Prominent speakers have addressed the people at the opera house night after night under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Both the local papers were on the license side. The addermen elected are Hiram Jones. Leonard Jarrett, Clinton Gray, John Shirly, W. H. Thompson, August Greenheit, George Honey and F. C. Mattison. The temper ance party elected the board of education throughout, as follows: Judge Burnett, R. S. throughout, as follows: Judge Burnett, R. S. Silvers, J. B. Dinsmore, Dan S. Van Valkenburgh, I. N. Clark and Henry Evans. Church bells were rung every half hour from the opening to the closing of the polls. The temperance people are holding a general jubilee at the First Methodist church this eyening.

At Auburn. AUBURN, Neb., April 5.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—The city election at this place to-day passed off with considerable excitement, the issue being prohibition and license and hard work was done by both sides, the whisky element working openly and boldly, while the prohibition element made but little noise. But the latter had done their work weeks ago. The prohibition ists had elected a mayor, two councilmen, police judge and one school trustee. The whisky men elected a clerk, treasurer, city engineer, two councilmen and one school trustee. The ticket as elected is as followes: Mayor, J. S. Church; clerk, A. D. Gilmore treasurer, E. M. Boyd; police judge, W. Dundas; city engineer, J. I. Dawson; councilman, First ward, M. H. Weller; council man, Seventh ward, J. W. Derrab; council man, Third ward, W. H. Mathleson, M. Scott.

## At Schnyler. ECHUYLER, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Tele gram to the BEE. |-The first city election for Schuyler passed off quietly to-day. There was a great deal of determined work done and the result was a complete surprise all round. The following officers were elected: Morris Palmer, mayor; S. W. McClung, police judge; J. E. Arnold, clerk; Allen Cameron, treasurer; E. E. Greenman, city engineer; V. Maly and Thes, Shaw, council that for the state of the complete surprise of the complete surprise for the state of the complete surprise for the state of the surprise for the state of the surprise for the state of the surprise surprise for the surprise surprise for the surprise surprise surprise surprise surprise all rounds.

men First ward; H. C. Wright and Fred Luopf, councilmen Second ward; Henry Roehling and F. Schmit, councilmen Third Illegal Liquor Sellers Convicted. COLUMBUS, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE: |-In the case of the State against Brandt and Wolff, the jury found a ourdiet of guilty. The case has created considerable interest, as it grew out of a violation of the Slocum law that absolutely prohibits the issuance of a license for the sale of liquors within two miles of the limits of any village or incorporated city. The defend ants opened a beer garden last summer jus over the west boundary of the city of Colum bus to be run on Sunday. The case was ably prosecuted by County Attorney J. M. Gon-dring, assisted by Sullivan and Reeder.

CHADRON, Neb., April 5 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE. |- The city election to-day passed quietly. The candidates of the people's ticket were unexceptionably good and were elected by a large majority. C. C-Hughes, for mayor, received a majority of 128 votes; for city clerk, R. G. Dorr, a majority of 136; for treasurer, Benjamin Lowenthal, a majority of 132; James Boyd, for city opening, received the manner. engineer, received the unanimous vote: for councilman, first ward, M. J. Cariton, unani-mous vote; F. J. Mead, short term, majority of 49; second ward, F. G. Fuller, unanimous vote; third ward, J. C. Dahlman, unanimous

# At Pawnee City.

PAWNER CITY, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE. |-The city election passed off quietly. A large vote was polled. There was no political issues or license at stake. Warren, candidate for mayor, was beaten by Dr. George W. Collins, the people's candidate, by 75 majority. The Colrins ticket received the unanimous support of the Knights of Labor organization, which is very strong here. To-night there is loud rejoicing on the part of the friends of the successful ticket.

At McCook. McCook, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BER |- The fiercest political fight Me-Cook has ever experienced closed to-night by the election of Thomas M. Helm as mayor over I. J. Starbuck. Three of the old city

ouncil were elected-Hess, McEntee and Kenvon—and one new member—Dixon, L.
L. Hulburd was elected city clerk. There were no party lines, each man voting for his favorite regardless of political feeling, and every one is well satisfied.

## At Oakland. OAKLAND, Neb., April 5.- Special Tele-gram to the BEE. - The temperance citizens

of Oakland are rejoicing with exceeding great joy to-night over to-day's victory-the election of the entire temperance ticket by 35 majority. Bells are ringing and in fact there has never been a time here when nearly everything here appeared so happy and jubilated. The saloons have always reigned here, but to-day they received a death blow for one year at least.

A Clean Republican Victory. RAPID CITY, Dak., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE. |-The city election to-day esulted in the election of the entire republican ticket by majorities ranging from 250 on mayor down. John F. Shrader headed the ticket. The next council will be three republicans and one democrat. The oppo-sition was a combination of democrats and discremental resulting.

### At Long Pine.

Long Pine, Neb., April 5.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—The tollowing citizens were elected to-day on the license ticket: G. W. Dwinell, W. L. Whittemore, E. R. Bryan and M. B. Malloy. There was a very spirited fight, in which the ladies of the W. C. T. U. took an active part and remained at the polls all day and distributed tickets. The vote was 39 to 105.

At Stromsburg. STROMSBURG, Neb., April 5.-|Special Telegram to the Bee.|-Stromsburg has experienced to-day one of the most hotly contested elections in her history. The question was saloons or no saloons, whisky or no whisky. The entire anti-saloon tietet was elected by a majority of three. The air is filled with rumors of a contest and many think the end is not yet.

At Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., April 5 .- Special Telegram to the BEE.]-A light vote was polled at the city election here to-day. The license party was victorious except for school district officers. A. W. Bradt, C. G. Dorsey, H. W. Parker and J. B. Fulton were elected coun-cilmen; J. A. Callison, police judge, and George Metzger, W. L. Bourne and L. F. Laselle on the school board.

At Norfolk Nonfolk, Neb., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE |- John Koenigstein was elected mayor over Herman Gerecke, the present incombent, by nearly 200 majority, his ticket sweeping the field. The laboring men and other citizens who endorsed the winning ticket are celebrating the victory by bonfires and music.

At Fairbury. FARBURY, Neb., April 5.-[Special Tele gram to the BEE. |-At the city election today the contest was between license and no license. The contest was warm and resulted in the election of the license candidates for mayor and three city officers by 36 majority. The total vote was 452.

## At Fairmont.

FAHMONT, Neb., April 5.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—John Barsby, for mayor, was defeated. E. L. Martin was elected mayor; C. M. Clark, clerk; T. M. Wright, treasurer; Fred Page, council man Second ward; E. G. Styles, councilman First ward. There was no excitement. There was no excitement.

# At Broken Bow, Broken Bow, Neb., April 5.— Special Telegram to the BEE. ]-The polls closed with the

excitement pretty brisk. A great deal of Interest was manifested on both sides. The issue was license or no license. License was carried by a majority of 35. At Central City

# CENTRAL CITY, Neb. April 5 .- | Special Tele-

gram to the BEE. J-At the city election held here to-day the temperance party elected Wm. Patterson for mayor by a large major-ity, and three out of four aldermen. This insures ne license for another year.

### At Wahoo. WAHOO, Neb., April 5,-|Special Telegram to the BEE. |-W. H. Dickinson is elected mayor of Wahoo, together with the entire Dickinson ticket. The hand is playing, and great enthusiasm prevails over

# At Republican City.

REPUBLICAN CITY, Neb., April 5,-[Special Telegram to the BEE. |-License wins by twenty-five majority. The city is wild with enthusiasm over the result. It is the first liense victory in six years.

### At Friend. FRIEND, Neb., April 5.- Special Tele gram to the BEE. | - The village election passed off quietly to-day. A high license

board was elected by a large majority. At Tobias. Tonias, Neb., April 5 .- (Special Telegram o the BEE. |-At the village election here

## to-day for five trustees the high license ticket carried by a majority of over three to one. VETOED THE LIBEL BILL Governor Thayer at Last Concludes to

Kill the Measure.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 5 .- [Special to the BEE.] - Governor Thayer to-day filed the following veto in the secretary of state's office: EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, LINCOLN, Neb., April 5.—I herewith file with the secretary of state house roll No. 346, an act entitled "An act to amend section 60, Title 4, of the code of civil procedure," together with my objections to the same becoming a law. By our present statute an action for libel may be instituted in the country where the defendant instituted in the county where the defendant resides, or in any county in the state where he may be found, and served with process. The purpose of this bill is to enable the plaintiff in such an action to begin a sait in any county in the state in which the alleged libel has been circulated, regardless of the residence of the defendant, or where he may residence of the defendant, of where he may be summoned. In other words, a defendant might be served in any county and be thereby required to defend in any county in the state. The bill is objectionable on the ground that it would give the plaintiff too great an advantage over the defendant. The two might reside in counties the most remove from each other of any ties the most remote from each other of any in the state, and should the libel have been circulated in the county of the plaintiff, the defendant could be required to defend in that county. The litigants might reside in the same county, in the northeast corner of the state, and plaintiff be disposed to bring his action in a county in the southwest corner of the state, and compel the detendant to go there to defend. The plaintiff might mischievously elect to begin his action in any county wherein the libel was circulated where he would enjoy the greatest advantage and the defendant suffer the disadvantage. The unfairness which it might promeasily be imagined. But the friends measure may say that on account of the char measure may say that on account of the character of the wrong for which the action is
brought, the defendant should suffer any disadvantage it may inflict. This, however,
would be to prejudge the defendant and assume his liability for damage, while the real
object of a trial in such a case is to determine
whether he would be so responsible, and to
this end he should suffer no disadvantage
in the selection of a jury or any other
inequality which might miditate in his favor
against the presumption guaranteed to him inequality which might militate in his favor against the presumption guaranteed to him by law. The law proposed is well calculated to increase litigation and foster methods by which a plaintiff might unjustly vex and harass a defendant, and I am therefore of the opinion that the public good will be best subserved by its disapproval. I am frank to admit that there does prevail an unpardonable license and abuse by the public press, but I am not willing to go to the other extreme, and by an act of mine overthrow all guaranty of the rights of citizens in this respect, and subject them to as great a wrong as parties now suffer from this evil of the license of the press.

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The bill vetoed is by Caldwell and is as fol

Section 60. An action for libel may

brought in any county where the libel is cir-culated. Every other action not hereinbe-fore provided for must be brought in the county in which the defendant or some of the defendants reside or may be summoned. Sec. 2. Section 60, as heretofore existing, is hereby repealed.

## A MIDNIGHT MURDER. An Old Citizen of St. Edwards Killed

By a Drunkard. St. Edwards, Neb., April 5,-[Special Telegram to the Bee. |-This evening, about 11 p. m., while the peaceable citizens were celebrating the silver wedding of one of our leading townsmen, a gunshot was heard on the street only a few steps from the hall in which the festivities were being held and shortly after word was brought that Warren Long, a farmer and one of the old settlers of the county, had been shot by Ed Carr. A rush was immediately made for the spot, but by the time the foremost had reached there he was breathing his last. Carr had been on a spree all the evening and had trouble with several persons, getting knocked down and kicked out of the hotel. Directly afterwards he armed himself with a shot gun and soon meeting with Long engaged in an altercation with him which culminated in his shooting Long. The load entered his chin, tearing the lower jaw to pieces and killing him almost instantly. Carr then started off and at this date (12:30 a. m.) has not been captured. Armed citizens are searching for him and if he is captured while their blood is hot Judge Lynch will undoubtedly condemn him.

### Hebron's Train in Chicago. CHICAGO, April 5 .- Hebron's famous train

of thirty-five cars loaded with corn, arrived here yesterday from the county seat of Thayer county, Nebraska. Hebron is at present the western terminus of the Rock Island railroad extension in Nebraska, and the completion of the road to that point was the occasion of a great celebration. As a fitting conclusion of the festivities a train was chartered, loaded with corn and decorated with banners and bunting, and sent to this city. The train attracted great attention along the route. As a business venture and

Adjudged Insane. Columbus, Neb., April 5.—|Special Telegram to the BEE. |-Henry Woods, who has been a citizen of Columbus about nine years and built up a prosperous business, conducting one of the neatest barber shops in the city, has been the subject of mental abberation and extreme irritability. He was adjudged to be insane and will be taken to Lancoln by Sheriff Kavanaugh next Thurs-

### Shot at His Partner.

Tobias. Neb., April 5 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE. -W. H. Walker, a traveling photographer, during a fit of temporary insanity, shot at and barely missed his partner, a Mr. Mann. He was promptly arrested and will have a preliminary trial to-morrow be-fore Invited Bushinary fore Justice Bucher.

## The National Drill.

WASHINGTON, April 5 .- New entries from Ohio, Louislana and Dakota, anticipated by telegraph, were to-day received at the headquarters of the national drill. Among the visitors was General Charles J. Anderson, of Richmond, commander of the First brigade of Virginia volunteers. He had a long conference with General Ordway and Manager Deleon, and expressed himself emphatically as approving the position of the committee with reference to allowing colored compa-nies to participate in the drill. General An-derson commands the First brigade of Vir-ginia, in which are two colored state guard companies, whose anticipated presence created the ill feeling in Montgomery. The general says he will bring the whole brigade, horse, foot and artillery, amounting to about thirty companies and five batteries of artillery. Adjutant General Jones, of North Car-olina, has again visited the headquarters and expressed strongly his approval of the posi-tion taken by the management on this ques-tion. He says they could have taken no other position in the national drill and that law, reason and justice are all on their side

# Supplies For the Indians.

WASHINGTON, April 5 .- On Thursday next Indian Commissioner Atkins will leave for St. Louis where, commencing on the 12th inst., he will receive and open bids for furnishing subsistence for Indians for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1888 The items and quantities of the subsistence advertised for are as follows: About 889,000 navertised for are as follows: About 883,000 pounds of bacon, 35,000,000 pounds of beats, 769,000 pounds of corn, 495,000 pounds of coffee, 8,000,000 pounds of feed, 135,000 pounds of lard bread, 83,000 pounds of hominy, 25,000 pounds of lard, 950 barrels of mess pork, 169,000 pounds of rice, 7,500 pounds of tea, 300,000 pounds of salt, 970,000 pounds of sugar, and 50,000 pounds of wheat; also transportation for such of the articles, goods and supplies that may not be contracted for transportation for such of the articles, goods and supplies that may not be contracted for to be delivered at the agencies. From St. Louis the commissioner will go to New York where, on the 3rd of May, he will open bids for furnishing the Indian reserve with supplies of clothing, grosseries, notices, hardpiles of clotning, groceries, notions, hard ware, implements, etc., and for about 40 required for the service to be delivered at Chicago, Kansas City and Sioux City; also for such wagons as may be required, adapted to the climate of the Pacific coast, with Cali-fornia brakes, delivered at San Francisco.

Doings of the Cattlemen. CHEVENNE, Wyo., April 5.—[Special Telegram to the Bee. |-The closing meeting of the Wyoming Stock Growers' association was held to-day. It was decided that parties desiring special detective service should bear half of the expense, the association bearing half. The date for the western Nebraska cattle round-up was not fixed. Many of the stockmen signed an agreement fixing the minimum price of mavericks publicly sold in their several districts at \$10 a head. The old officers of the association were re-elected It was decided that unknown estrays, when shipped out, should be weighed, separated and sold, the proceeds to be returned to the secretary of the Wyoming association to await being claimed by the owner. All cattlemen in attendance were unanimous in the belief that prices will rule higher.

Death From Opium. NEW YORK, April 5 .- Francis Gerry Fairfield, a clergyman, journalist, veterinary surgeon, and author of a work on spiritual ism, died early yesterday from the effects of the opium habit. While he was on his death bed, his wife Josephine, and day her of Judge Griswold, of the United States district court, died from the rame cause in another boarding house, and her body was sent to the morgue. Several years ago. Fairfield became addicted to the morphine habit as did also his

### Captain and Crew Rescued. NEW YORK, April 5.- The steamer Vic

oria, which arrived from Baracoa, brought the captain and crew of nine men of the brig Johanna, which foundered at sea after being out ten days from Havanna for New York, The crew were in a wretched condition when Land Grabbers Indicted.

### SAN FRANCISCO, April 5 .- The United States grand jury which was engaged nearly two weeks investigating the alleged fraudu lent land surveys by which an amount of

money was obtained from the government, returned forty indictments of conspiracy and perjury. A Congo Lottery. BRUSSELS, April 5 .- The chamber of depu ies passed, by a vote of 86 to 9, a bill per-

### oan to the amount of 150,000,000 francs. PALATINE, Ill., April 5,-Colonel Tuthill received every vote cast here to-day-280.

mitting the free Congo state to issue a lottery

# CHICAGO GOES REPUBLICAN.

Roche Is Elected Mayor By Nearly Thirty Thousand Majority.

A BIG SURPRISE ALL AROUND.

The United Labor Party Only Elects One Alderman-Prohibition Probably Lost in Michigan-Results at Other Points.

The Contest in Chicago. CHICAGO, April 5 .- The day is clear and cool, and reports from nearly all wards indicate that a very large vote will be polled. The contest is between the republican and labor candidates, very few prohibition votes being cast, although the prohibitionists have ticket peddlers at nearly all polling places. The polls opened at 6 o'clock and the greater portion of the labor vote was polled during the early hours. At 9 o'clock reports from various precincts showed that from one-fourth to one-half the entire registered vote had been

By noon fully one half, and in some of the wards two-thirds of the entire registered vote had been cast. This would indicate that the total city vote will reach probably 75,000 and possibly 85,000. While there have been large crowds at the polling places, no serious violence has been reported and the election promises to be an unusually quiet

The labor party will poll a large vote in the fifth, sixth, seventh and fourteenth wards. but in other wards the showing of the party will be small. In the eleventh and twelfth wards, except in a few precincts, the voting is almost solid for the republican ticket, dem-ocrats and republicans voting it without reserve. In one precinct where 145 votes had been cast up to noon, out of a total registration of 260 only three labor tickets had been cast. On the outlying wards the labor ticket is ahead in some instances, but at no polling place is the pre-ponderance of the labor vote overwhelming, as is the republican ticket in strong republican wards. The republican party managers at noon claimed that Roche, for mayor, would have from lifteen to twenty thousand ma-

jority.
6:45 p. m.—Ninety-three precincts out of
3:30 give Roche, republican, 10,138 majority over Nelson, labor. The present indications are that the labor party has only carried one ward in the city. It is possible that the head of the ticket has been carried by the republicans by 25,000 to 30,000.

7 p. m.—One hundred and seventy precincts out of 339 give Roche 20,600 piurality over Nelson Labor.

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At 7:30 p. m. the indications are that Roche's majority will be 30,000, a figure that surprises everybody. If the 3,300 votes naturalized during the past month by the united labor party be added to the 18,000 cast for Socialist Stauber last fall, the total vote will be very near what Nelson's vote now promises to be in to-day's election. This would mean that the attempt to deliver the democratic vote to the united labor party had failed utterly. The returns received at the town hall in the stock yards district up to 6 p. m. indicate that Elmer Washburne, heading the reform ticket, which was allied with the floche ticket in the city was, has been elected supervisor by a majority of

has been elected supervisor by a majority of 1,100 over all opposition.

Two hundred and eighty-nine precincts give Roche a majority of 28,019. Fifty precincts yet to hear from, scattered throughout the city will are health. cincts yet to hear from, scattered throughout the city, will probably make no material change in the ratio of gain for Roche.

8:40 p. m.—With twenty precincts yet to hear from Roche's majority is 29,400.

9:10 p. m.—With thricen precincts to hear from Roche's majority is 23,761.

9:30 p. m.—The majority for Roche is 29,300 and eight precincts to be heard from.

It is reasonably certain that the united labor party elected two aldermen and nothing eige.

At 10:85 p. m. the count was closed for the night. Corrected returns from all but three precincts places Roche's majority at 28,166. The so-called united labor party polled to-day just one-half the number of votes its leaders and pradicted by the property of the so-called and pradicted by the so-called and practice of the so-ca just one-half the number of votes its leaders nad predicted three nights ago before Robert Nelson, their candidate for mayor, distinctly declared for the red flag. He said in public if Sunday school children could march in procession with their chosen banners and no procession with their chosen banners and no American flag, he saw no reason why the workingmen, if equally orderly, could not do the same even if the color was red. Since then the campaign has been fought solely on that issue and the result is a surprise to everyone, socialists and anti-socialists alike. I'wo united labor aldermen are the only successful candidates of that party. Their gen-eral ticket is behind under a majority of

nearly 35,000 votes. nearly 35,000 votes.

It was only last night that Socialist Organizer Greenhut made the assertion that the seven condemned anarchists would be saved by his party polling at least their 35,000 pledged votes, electing the socialist city treasurer, their entire west town ticket and six to nine aldermen. The party polled in round numbers 20,000 votes. "We have only held the old socialist vote," said Greenhut. sadiv, to-night. It was a perfect day so far as sunshine was concerned. The air was chilly and raw, but it is conceded that no voters were kept at home by the weather. There was a notable absence of drunkenness. The united labor party had made its campaign cry that not a man on their ticket would owe his election to votes purchased would owe his election to votes purchased with whisky. A socialist ticket peddler dropping dead at the polls, probably of heart disease, was the nearest approach to a tragic incident. Not a single serious row occurred during the day. In the absence of a democratic ticket the democrats who voted cast their ballots almost unanimously for the republican candidates. It is estimated that about 10 per cent of the democrats failed to vote at all, not wishing to vote the republican ticket and unwilling to endorse the candidate opposing. Throughout the day the republicans posing. Throughout the day the republicans and their democratic allies industriously dis-tributed flaring dodgers presenting the lissue of the election as the American flag against the red. The united labor party endeavored the red. The united labor party endeavored to meet this with an equally highly colored circular, charging that Roche was an Orangeman. The plan falled signally. One of the characteristic incidents of the day was the arrest in the Fifteenth ward by Officer John arrest in the Fitteenth ward by Officer John Ryan of Herman Groenmeyer, a German socialist, for too obstrusively circulating anti-Roche circulars. The arrest nearly led to a shot, but Groenmeyer was released on promising to desist. Similar scenes were enacted in other wards and have led to charges by the united labor leaders of unwarranted interference on the part of the police. The two successful candidates of the united labor party are Conner and Dvorak for aldermen in the fifth and sixth wards respectively. Their election had been conceded from the start, but the majority is smaller than was anticipated, it was generally expected that the noted socialistic Knight of Labor, George Schilling, would be elected alderman in the fourteenth ward, but at the last moment his strength was diverted

at the last moment his strength was diverted by Riordan, democrat. In many of the wards ladies were present distributing prohi-bition tickets. The candidates of that party drew about their usual yote. The republicans made a clean sweep with their city and town tickets, except that Samuel B. Chase, the democratic candidate for assessor of the north town, pulls through. The democrats elected one alderman, James T. Apppleton. in the second ward.

in the second ward. At midnight the returns showed the united labor party elected one man in the entire city, Conner, their candidate for alderman in the Fifth ward. Dvorak, their alderman in the Sixth, is defeated. Conner's majority is less than 400. The total vote for mayor is: Roche, repub

lican, 51,089 votes; Nelson, u 22,848; Roche's majority, 28,241. In a row late to-night, growing out of a too enthusiastic celebration of the republican victory, a young man named Crowe was fatally shot by a bartender. The bartender was promptly arrested. Ne Prohibition For Michigan.

DETROIT, Mich., April 5.-Returns from the state outside of the larger cities are very incomplete as to the vote on the prohibitory amendment. The Evening Journal's return up to 10 o'clock this morning indicate that the amendment has been carried by a small

majority. While the returns from the counties are delayed, it is certain that Long, republican, is elected to the supreme beach by a large majority. He was ahead of Cambell, republican, in nearly every polling place. Campbell is probably elected by a majority one-third less than Long. and the republican regents have been successful by majorities between the two judges. The country has gone strongly for prohibition, but the returns are not sufficiently deinite to say whether the country has been able to wipe out the majorities against the amendments rolled up by cities. The probability this morning was that the amendment had been carried by a small majority. The salaries amendment has been dejeated.

James McMillan, chairman of the republican state committee, says that while he has no figures on which to base an accurate estimate, his belief is that the republican state ticket has been elected by 10,000 and that the amendment is defeated by about the same amount. At 10 this morning Prof. Dickie, chairman of the prohibition state committee, claimed that the amendment was carried by about 30,000 majority.

Later figures materially change the result of the vote on the prohibition amendment.

of the vote on the prohibition amendment. The Evening Journal's figures now show 9,000 against the amendment and its un-9,000 against the amendment and its unlikely that this majority will be overcome. The salaries amendment is probably carried. Returns from yesterday's election are slowly coming in. It being settled that the republican state ticket has been elected by 10,000 plurality, interest centers on the prohibitory amendment. The Evening Journal says that it is defeated by 8,500 majority, and others claim the majority will reach 10,000, but the prohibition committee still claims the adoption of the amendment. This claim is adoption of the amendment. This claim is based on the fact that all the cities have been heard from, while the country localities, where the movement had its greatest strength, have not yet been fully reported. All the figures so far received on the amendant of the country and the country of the country o ment are partly estimated, and little confidence can be placed in them, although it seems probable that the amendment is defeated by a small vote. This evening the prohibitionists claim that frauds were committed against them in several wards in this city and say that several precincts will be contested. It is asserted that known prohibitionists were prevented from voting: that ballots for the amendment were de stroyed; that opponents of that measure were allowed to vote several times, and that votes against the amendment were pur-

10:30 p. m .- The latest figures on the election place the republican plurality on the state ticket at about 8,000, while on the prohibitory amendment the opposition majority will be about 3,500.

Midnight—Later figures cut down the vote against the prohibition amendment so that it will be less then 5,000. The Tribune claims a majority on the republican state ticket of from 10.000 to 12,000 and the Free Press concedes 7,000.

MARQUETTE, Mich., April 5.—Marquette county gives 1,200 against the prohibitory amendment, while the entire peninsula gives about 8,000 against it. The republicans elect the supreme judges. Wisconsin Women Try to Vote. MILWAUKEE, April 5.-The only state election to-day was for associate judge of the supreme court. Harlow S. Orton, democrat, was re-elected without opposition. Milwau-

kee county voted on a judge of the circuit and judge of the superior court. The democrats and republicans placed a fusion ticket in the field against the labor party. At 10 o'clock to-night twenty-five precincts have been heard from, giving D. H. Johnson, democrat, and George H. Noyes, republican the fusion judicial candidates, 1.140 majority over the labor candidates. The seventeen adultional city precincts will probably neutralize this majority but the seven towns of additional city precincts will probably neu-tralize this majority, but the seven towns of the county will go strongly for the fusion candidates, who are probably elected by 2,000. The labor party will elect about the aldermen and one-third of the supervisors. Both bodies will probably be democratic, as two-thirds of the aldermen hold over. At midnight all but one city and four town precincts had been heard from, giving the citizens' ticket 800 majority over the labor ticket. The labor ticket carried the city by

The labor ticket carried the city ,505. The fusionists elected lifteen out of twenty-five aldermen. Eau Claire and Racine elected citizens'

tickets against the Knights of Labor candi-dates. In Whitewater the democratic-labor combination won and Madison went demo-

cratic, Senator Conklin being chosen mayor without opposition.
In many cities in the state, by preconcerted arrangement, ladies in bodies went to the polls and offered to vote, claiming to be entitled to do so by an inference conveyed by the recently enacted law allowing women to the recently enacted law allowing women to vote in school affairs. In Sturgeon Bay 100 of them voted, but elsewhere their ballots were refused. In Delavan eighty prominent ladies marched to the polls in the morning in procession, a lively discussion following, speechec being made for and against their right to vote. After considerable excitement the board refused to accept the votes of the ladies. The polls were blocked until after 12 o'clock by the ladies, who persisted in offering their votes. A test case will be made and ing their votes. A test case will be made and

carried to the supreme court.

Reports from interior cities are meager.
Columbus, Delavan and Tomah have elected republican mayor. In Depere the fusion of republicans and democrats won over the labor party. Kenosha elected a full labor

ticket Rhode Island's Coming Contest. PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 5, - | Special Tele gram to the BEF. |-Probably at no time before in the history of this state has public feeling been as high on the eve of a gubernatorial election as now. The situation is mixed, and a prediction as to majorities and esults would almost be idle. Leading men around the republican headquarters are generally confident of a clear majority for Gov. Wetmore and the fall state ticket. Others, among whom may be reckoned Senator Aldrich think there will be no election by the people, but are confident of the election of a republican general assembly. The re-publicans throughout the state have taken particular care to put up strong legislative tickets. Rumsellers are making a determined effort to defeat Attorney General Metcalfe, and republican ballots have been counter-felted with the name of Ziba A. Slocum, the lemocratic candidate, as a substitute for detealfe. Metcalfe has the support of the prohibitionists. The republican candidates for lieutenant governor, secretary of state and treesurer will undoubtedly be elected by the people. The woman suffrage amendment will receive possibly a majority but not the necessary three-fifthts.

# A Republican Scoop.

CINCINNATI. April 5.—The complete count for mayor yesterday shows-Smith, republican, 17,963; Matson, democrat, 11,951; Stevenson, labor, 17,967; Smith's plurality, 596, The pluralities of other republican candidates are as follows: A. W. Moore, judge of the supreme court, 2,050; T. F. Hortsman, city solicitor, 1,304; A. F. Bohrer, treasurer, 2,802; J. A. Caldwell, judge of police court, 3,949; J. C. Schwartz, prosecuting attorney, police court, 3,450; Emii Rehse, clerk of police court, 1,928. The footings for councilmen and members of the board of education have not yet been made but the indications are that the republi-

cans will have a plurality in both boards if not a majority.

The unofficial footing for ward officers shows the following result-Councilmen, resnows the following result - Contained, re-publicans, thirteen, nine labor and three dem-ocrats. The curious fact is that the Third, Fourth, Nineteenth and Twenty-first wards, hitherto strongly democratic, and the Tenth, Eleventh, Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth, strongly republican, were carried yes-terday by the labor party.

### terday by the labor party. St. Louis Dull and Lifeless. St. Louis, April 5.-There being no mayor

or other city officials elected here this year, only members of the municipal assembly being voted for, not much interest is being taken in the contest to-day. The labor party however, has a ticket in the field and work-ingmen are making considerable effort to elect it, but outside of this the election is tame and voting is going on with unusual

Incomplete returns of the election to-day from seventeen wards at 11 o'clock to-night indicate that the democrats will have a ma-jority of both houses of the municipal assem-bly. The labor vote cannot be got at yet. but

it does not seem to have been as heavy as was expected. The contest has been close in most of the wards and districts, but there is scarcely a doubt that the democrats have

### gained a victory. It Was a Big Surprise.

DES MOINES, la., April 5 .- | Special Telegram to the BER |-The surprise in lowa polities was the result of the election at Dubuque yesterday. That is a democrat stronghold which usually gives a democratic majority of 2,000 or 3,000 or even more. This spring the Knights of Labor put a full ticket in the field and to the surprise of everybody in the field and to the surprise of everybody elected it over the republican and democratic candidates by several hundred plurality. The Knights now have control of the city government and it is said that one of their first acts will be to raise the saloon licenses 100 per cent or more. The election was very orderly and creditable to all.

Kansas City's Mayor Re-elected. KANSAS UITY, April 5 .- Henry C. Kumpf, republican, was re-elected mayor of this city to-day by a good majority. The republicans claim the ticket excepting treasurer and attorney. The labor vote was comparitively light. One labor alderman was elected, having no opposition. In Kansas City, Kan, which includes Wyandotte, Hannon, for mayor, represented the knights of labor, supported by the republicans. He is probably defeated by Hilliker, the citizens' candidate.

## The Result in Toledo.

Tolepo, O., April 5 .- The official returns of the municipal election shows that the republicans elected their candidates for mayor, police commissioner, police prosecu-tor, city solicitor and cemetery trustee. The democrats elected the police judge and water works trustee. The board of aldermen is a term and the board of councilmen has two rep-ublicans' majority. The republicans captured the police board and the democrats the school

Deserted By the Women. EMPORIA, Kan., April 5.-The election to day was attended with considerable activity by the W. C. T. U., in behalf of their candidate for mayor. Dr. J. J. Wright, as against N. E. Weaver, the candidate of the citizens. As the result shows, however, their effort will not be crowned with the most gratifying success, as out of 542 women who registered only 398 voted, and of these over one fourth voted against the candidate of the W. C. T U. Weaver was elected by a large majority

Denver Probably Republican. DENVER. April 5 .-- There were five municipal tickets in the field to-day-republican. democrat, independent democrat, labor and prohibition. A a very large vote was polled, especially by the labor party. The democrats held their own, notwithstanding the split in the party, but the indications at 8 o'clock are that the republicans elected Lee mayor by from 1,000 to 1,500 plurality. Convicted of Election Frauds.

BALTIMORE, April 5 .- Charles M. Owens, saac H. Walters, John Brandon, John B. sanner and William J. Byrne, judges and clerks of election in the First ward, tried for conspiracy to defraud at the last municipal election, were convicted in the criminal court to-day. Notice of appeal was entered. Democrats Carry Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 5,-The demo rats elected their city ticket here to-day with he possible exception of city attorney, by decisive majorities. The votes are not yet fully counted, but the indications are that Hay (democrat) gets a majority of about 600. Two years ago the republicans carried the city, electing the mayor by a vote of 1,100. Topeka Solidly Republican.

### only a small portion of the vote was counted, but enough to show that the whole republican ticket is elected. The women who had registered mostly voted, and generally as their husbands did.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 5 .- At midnight

Arrested For Murder. CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 5,-[Special Telegram to the BEE, |-About two weeks ago a small ranchman named Richard Rice, living on the Platte river ninety miles north of here, suddenly disappeared. Foul play was suspected. In an investigation Rice's cloth-ing was found at Edwin Everett's, a short dis tance from Rice's quarters. It was learned, too, that about the time of Rice's disappearance that yells were heard one night at Everett's and a couple of passers by saw two men engaged in beating a third. On the strength of this Everett, Robert Sanderson and Miss Jenny Berry the latter supposed and Miss Jenny Berry, the latter supposed to be the cause of the quarrel, were arrested and lodged in jail here. The body of Rice is supposed to have been thrown in the Platte The preliminary bearing may develop

The Omaha's Commander Suspended SAN FRANCISCO, April 5 .- Among the passengers quartered on the steamer City of Peking which arrived here yesterday from Yokohama was Captain T. O. Selfridge of the United States war ship Omaha, who is enroute to Washington under suspension caused oy an unfortunate affair which occurred in Japan March 4 while he was in command o the Omaha. The vessel had been engaged in shell practice off the Island Ikeshima. twenty-live miles from Najasaki, and the officer in charge reported that all the shells had exploded. Shortly after, however, while a group of Japanese were examining a shell which had been fired from the Omaha, it exploded, killing four and wounding sever On learning of these facts Rear Admiral Chandler placed Captain Selfridge under suspension and ordered him to leave by the first steamer and, report to the secretary of the navy.

### Bold and Successful Robbery. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 5 .- John Work man, a wealthy farmer and land owner liv ing near Curran, was robbed to-day of \$6,000 by three men who had evidently learned that Workman had that sum upon his person for the purpose of closing a cattle deal. The men drove to Workman's house one at a time and represented themselves to be one an agricul tural implement agent, another a dealer in land, and a third a friend of the latter. After driving about the premises the farmer and men returned to the farmhouse, where, in the midst of a conversation. Workman was suddenly seized and thrown to the ground

and robbed as above stated. The robbers es-

NEW YORK, April 5.-The British tramp steamer, Carmona, which left Barrow. England, February 23, has not yet arrived and is given up as lost, with all hands on board. She had a full cargo of steel slooms consigned to a firm in Pennsylvania. The vessel was commanded by J. A. Halcrow, and had a crew of thirty-three men. The Carmona was a three-masted, schooner-rigged vessel and hailed from Dundee, Scotland, where she was built in April, 1881. William Thompson owned, her. The vessel and cargo were valued at \$390,000, and are fully insured.

# Fursch-Madi's Money.

NEW YORK, April 5.—[Special Tele:ram to the BEE.]—The Tribune quotes a gentleman conversant with the facts as saying that Mme. Fursch-Madi's check was not cashed by the Second National bank because her attachment had locked the National Opera company's money up, but the money was there by 10 o'clock, and when her representative appeared the second time the check was cashed. "Locke," he says," acted in good faith in giving the check and the money was in the bank at the regular hour.

# Gleason Knocks Out Davis.

DULUTH. Minn., April 5 .- In the fight in the Duluth theater to-night between Charles Gleason, of Sioux City, and Jack Davis, of Philadelphia, ten rounds or a knock out, Gleason was an ea y winner in two rounds, knocking Davis down the first thing and re-peating the operation a dozen times, closing with a clean knock out.

Colorado's Legislature Adjourns. DENVER, April 5.-The sixth general assembly adjourned sine die at 2 o'clock this morning.

# APPOINTMENT OF OMAHANS.

Judge Savage Again Made a U. P. Director and Patrick Lynch Storekeeper.

TO SHUT OFF SUNDAY LIQUOR

The Washington Police to Strictly Euforce the Law Closing the Saloons on That Day-Na-

## tional Capital News. More Nebraska Patronage.

WASHINGTON, April 5 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE. | - President Cleveland this afternoon appointed James W. Savage, of Omaha, a director of the Union Pacific railroad. Patrick W. Lynch was to-day appointed internal revenue storekeeper at Omaha.

ENFORCING THE SUNDAY LAW. On Sunday next the police will make another effort to suppress liquor selling in this city on that day. Heretofore where eating tables were in the bar-room, or adjoining the bar, the proprietors were permitted to keep their places open by drawing a curtain across the drinking bar, and having a sign with the word "closed" up on it. In such cases stone mugs were used for serving beer, and an out side observer could not tell but what water was being served, and in that way the Sonday law was violated. The law requires a room in which liquor is sold during the week to be closed on Sunday, and it is not necessary to prove a sale in order to ob-

not necessary to prove a sale in order to obtain a correction. Hereafter, beginning with next Sunday, the police will proseen te persons for keeping their places open. A reporter asked Prosecutor Padgett about it, and he said he intended to prosecute saloon keepers in such cases.

BOTH USELESS AND COSTLY.

One of the most costly humbugs of the age is now on board of the executive department. Senator Cockrell's committee has opened by calling on each department for a mass of information that will simply be overwhelming and useless when the returns are all in and this mass of useless information will cost the government tens of thousands of dollars. In some of the departments scores of clerks are taken from their legimate duties for days and weeks even to prepare this matter which will taken from their legimate duties for days and weeks even to prepare this matter which will be so voluminous that it will utterly overwhelm any committee that will attempt to handle it. The printing of it alone will cost many thousands of dollars, and when it is all prepared and printed it will simply be a mass of unintelligence, for it will not east a single ray of light on the real operations of the departments. What the committee propose to do or recommend nobody seems to know. Cockrell himself is unable to propose or inaugurate anything in the shape of reform anywhere. He is kept in the senate because he was shot to pieces while trying to overthrow the government. He now proposes rethrow the government. He now proposes re-form. The investigation is an expensive farce inasmuch as the result will not be intelligible.

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COOLEY AND BRAGG ENPLAIN.

It having been reported that four of the inter-state commerce commissioners traveled here on free passes, two of them make these statements: "It cost me \$20.50 to ride in the cars from Montgomery to Washington," says Captain Bragg. Judge Cooley says: "My term as receiver of the Wabash system did not expire until April 1. I left my home on Sunday, March 27, with three members of my family. I paid the fares of the three and presented a receiver's pass for myself. I paid the fares back to Michigan for two of the family who came to Chicago only, and also paid the fare of my son from Chicago here. On my arrival in Washington I returned my pass. Just before I left home a relative asked me to send him free transportation over the Wabash road for members of his family. I replied that I had just ourchased tickets for my own family and was unable to oblige him."

MILITARY MATTERS.

Major John C. Muhlenburg, paymaster, is relieved from duty in the department of Texas and ordered to the department of Columbia, relieving Major DeWitt C. Poole,

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Captain William Fletcher, Twentieth infantry, is relieved from duty in the department of Dakota July 15, and ordered to his home in this city to await retirement.

Major R. King, engineer corps, in addition to his present duties, is assigned to duty as a member of the board of engineers for fortilisation and riversed backers. cation and river and harbor works, and or-

dered to report to Colonel T. L. Casey, pres-ident of the board. Quartermaster General Hollabird, Medical Purveyor Baxter, Assistant Adjutant Gen-eral Kelton, Assistant Commissary General Dubarry, Assistant Surgeon J. O. Skinner, with First Lieutenant Constantine Chase, Third artillery, recorder, have been appointed a relieving board to meet at the army medical museum at Washington on April 7 for

examination of such offers as may be ordered before it. First Lieutenant George Bell, Jr., Third infantry, has been granted one month leave of absence, with permission to apply for one

of absence, with permission to apply for one month extension.

Army furloughs: Sergeant William D. Huddleson, battery K. Fourth artillery, two months from April 1; Sergeant McClellan Bankin, Troop H, Fourth cavalry, two months; Sergeant John H. Fitzsimmon, company D, Twenty-third infantry, four months; Hospital Steward J. R. Fowler, two months extension; Private Jeremiah Sullivan, com-pany F. Fifteenth infantry, three months; Sergeant Hunter Miller, light battery F, Fourth artillery, one month; Sergeant Alexander Huntington, troop B, Second cavalry,

two months.

APPROVED AS RESERVE BANKS.

The First National bank of Kansas City has been approved as a reserve agent of the Capital National bank of Lincoln. The Chase National bank of New York has been approved as a reserve agent for the First National bank of Ord, Neb.; also the First National bank of Missouri Valley, Ia.

PATENTS GRANTED WESTERNERS.
Patents were issued for the following to-day: Espey L. Devore and E. O. Keck, Aurelia, Ia., draft equalizer for harvester; Amos L. Grinnell, Campbell, Ia., dumping platform; John S. Lindquist, Swedeburg, Neb., windmill; Adelbert E. Parker, as-signor of one-half to A. Schauffhauser, Du-buque Ia., axle clip.

NEBRASKA AND IOWA PENSIONS. Pensions were granted Nebraskans to-day is follows: Reuben H. Dedrice, Red Cloud; Elston Armstrong, Elston Armstrong, Big Springs; James Glenn, Arapahoe; O. A. Davenport, Kear

ney.
Pensions granted Iowans: Mary J., widow of William V. Hoagland, Cedar Falis; John Stockwell, Winterset; David H. Clark, Os-ceola; Peter Roldier, Tama City; Reuben M. Roberts, Fairfield; George W. Edwards, Clarksville; John F. Wilson, Mt. Pleasant; Henry S. Edson, Rock Falls; Edison Dun, Eldon; Valentine W. Benskotre, Anamosa; James Cain, Marathon; Benjamin F. Cozad, Grant: Robert Dickey, Norwalk; William M. Hoagland, Cedar Falls; John Wallace, Keokuk; William H. Benedict, Brook

POSTAL CHANGES. The president to-day appointed as post-master Newton S. Noble, at Anamosa, Ia., vice Will am R. Fish, removed.

Yellowstone Park Rules. WASHINGTON, April 5.—The secretary of the interior has promulgated new rules for the government of the Yellowstone National park. The rules prohibit the injury or removal of geyser formationas; allowing stock to graze in their vicinity; the cutting or injury of glowing timber; the unnecessary lighting of fires; the injure or killing of birds or animals; the wanton destruction of fish; the permanent residence of any person in the park; the pasting of private notices, or establishment of drinking saloons or bar-rooms. Outsits of persons found hunting or in possession of game will be confiscated,

### park. A Disabled Steamer.

NEW YORK, April 5 .- No tidings of the steamer Salerno of the Wilson line have been heard since that vessel was spoken by the Eibe, March 27, in a disabled condition 600 miles from Halifax. When last seen the steamer was proceeding east under sail with a broken propeller.

and persons making themselves obnoxious to the officer in charge will be ejected from the